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For: ANTIBODIES WHICH BIND WITH  
PROTEINS OF HUMAN  
IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS  
TYPE 1 (HIV-1), IMMUNE  
COMPLEXES COMPRISING  
PROTEINS OF HIV-1, AND  
METHODS FOR PREPARING  
ANTIBODIES FORMED AGAINST  
PROTEINS OF HIV-1

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DECLARATION

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That I made and conceived the invention described and  
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the United States of America on May 26, 1993, titled ANTIBODIES WHICH BIND WITH PROTEINS OF HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS TYPE 1 (HIV-1), IMMUNE COMPLEXES COMPRISING PROTEINS OF HIV-1, AND METHODS FOR PREPARING ANTIBODIES FORMED AGAINST PROTEINS OF HIV-1;

That I made and conceived this invention while employed by Institut Pasteur of Paris, France;

That the invention is related to the work I am employed to perform and was made within the scope of my employment duties;

That the invention was made during working hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information, and services of Institut Pasteur of Paris, France.

That to the best of my knowledge and belief:

The invention was not made or conceived in the course of, or in connection with, or under the terms of any contract, subcontract, or arrangement entered into with or for the benefit of the United States Atomic Energy Commission or its successors: Energy Research and Development Administration or the Department of Energy; and

The invention was not made (conceived or first actually reduced to practice) under nor is there any relationship of the invention to the performance of any work under any contract of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Accompanying this Declaration are Declarations executed by the co-inventors of this invention, except co-inventor Jacqueline Gruest, who is deceased.

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